

Arizona State Board of Nursing

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Governor



Joey Ridenour
Executive Director

Board Meeting Minutes

The Special meeting of the Arizona State Board of Nursing convened at 1:30pm, Monday, Jul 8, 2024 in Boardroom A, at the Board of Nursing office, 1740 W. Adams Street, Phoenix, Arizona, with Carolyn McCormies, RN, MS, FNP-BC, President, presiding.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT VIRTUALLY:

Carolyn McCormies, RN, MS, FNP-BC, President
 Dr. Margi J. Schultz, PhD, RN, CNE, PLNC, FAADN, Member
 Dr. Lisa Smith, PhD, RN, CNE, Member
 Christine Ellis, RN, LPN, Member
 LaWanda Dupree, DNP, APRN, FNP-C, Member
 Shareedah Al-Hark, LPN, Member

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Angela Fountain, RN, DNP, CRNA, Vice-President
 Kyra Locnikar, Member, Secretary
 Dr. Carmen Hill-Mekoba, DNP, APRN-BC, Member

LEGAL COUNSEL:

Deborah Abbey, Assistant Attorney General

STAFF DIRECTORS:

Joey Ridenour, RN, MN, FAAN, Executive Director
 Diane Caruso, MSN, FNP-C, Associate Director, Complaints & Investigations
 Shannon Bitza, DNP, AGPCNP-BC, AGACNP-BC Associate Director/Education & Evidenced Based Regulation

STAFF:		
<p>Anna Anderson, MPA, BA, Program Administrator II Hearing/High-Risk Investigations/Educator Emma Mamaluy, JD, Chief Counsel Diane DeDea, JD, Assistant Chief Counsel Kirk Olson, Program Administrator II</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Senior Investigators</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Advanced Practice Nurse Consultants</p> <p>Janet Olson, DNP, FNP-BC, NNP-BC Michelina Stazzone, DNP, RN, CPNP-PC Paula Fortin, MSN, FNP-BC Rachael Kimes, MSN, FNP-BC, ACNP-BC Tiffany Fotinos, MSN, FNP-C,</p>	
<p>Allison Enriquez Amy Sammito (Telephonic) Bella Portuese Bonnie Richter, MSW Gari Carroll Amy Wilson</p>	<p>Harold Rodriguez Irene Barajas James Silva Michelle Morton (Telephonic) Vanessa Samelson (Telephonic)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Nurse Practice Consultants</p> <p>Abby Connolly, BSN, RN Lisa Bashford, BSN, RN Lolita Moore, BSN, RN Michelle Bagford, BSN, MHA, CPHQ Tamara Uhler, MSN, RN Ashley Branch BSN, RN</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Compliance Department</p> <p>Sara Steffen, MSN, ANP-C- Program Administrator Stephanie Cruz, Senior Investigator Brent Sutter, Senior Investigator Ruth Kish, RN, MN Nurse Practice Consultant</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Education Department</p> <p>Cindy George, BSN, RN, Education Program Administrator Sarah Burton, Administrative Assistant II</p>	

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 1:30pm, Monday, Jul 8, 2024 .

The following Board members were present: Al-Hark, Ellis, Dupree, McCormies, Smith, and Schultz. McCormies presided.

McCormies welcomed members of the audience, explained the procedure for addressing the Board, and stated the mission of the Board.

II.A. Post-Hearing Consideration of Administrative Law Judge Recommendations

II.A.1 Sarah Marie Barreras LNA220483 D. Abbey
A.K.A:Sarah Marie Peraza

The proceeding began at 1:34pm with the following Board members present: Al-Hark, Ellis, Dupree, McCormies, Smith, and Schultz.

Barreras was not present or represented by counsel.

The State was represented by **D. Abbey**, Assistant Attorney General. **Carrie Smith** , Assistant Attorney General, provided independent counsel for the Board.

All Board members answered affirmatively that they had received and read the transcript of the hearing and the Administrative Law Judge’s recommendation.

VOTE		<u>Dupree</u> Member	<u>Locnikar</u> Secretary	<u>McCormies</u> President	<u>Fountain</u> Vice-President	<u>Schultz</u> Member	<u>Smith</u> Member	<u>Ellis</u> Member	<u>Al-Hark</u> Member	<u>Hill-Mekoba</u> Member
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Deborah Abbey addressed the Board and requested the Board accept the Administrative Law Judge’s proposed Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law in their entirety with no corrections.

Schultz motioned, **Dupree** seconded, and it was unanimously carried, to adopt the Findings of Fact in their entirety as recommended by the Administrative Law Judge.

VOTE		<u>Dupree</u> Member	<u>Locnikar</u> Secretary	<u>McCormies</u> President	<u>Fountain</u> Vice-President	<u>Schultz</u> Member	<u>Smith</u> Member	<u>Ellis</u> Member	<u>Al-Hark</u> Member	<u>Hill-Mekoba</u> Member
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Schultz motioned, Dupree seconded, and it was unanimously carried, to adopt the and Conclusions of Law in their entirety as recommended by the Administrative Law Judge.

VOTE		<u>Dupree</u> Member	<u>Locnikar</u> Secretary	<u>McCormies</u> President	<u>Fountain</u> Vice-President	<u>Schultz</u> Member	<u>Smith</u> Member	<u>Ellis</u> Member	<u>Al-Hark</u> Member	<u>Hill-Mekoba</u> Member
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Smith motioned, Dupree seconded, and it was unanimously carried, to adopt the Administrative Law Judge's Order to Revoke LNA220483 previously issued to Sarah Marie Barreras.

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II.A. Post-Hearing Consideration of Administrative Law Judge Recommendations

II.A.2 Jose Rangel Bautista RN207510; LP047582 D. Abbey

The proceeding began at 1:44pm with the following Board members present: Al-Hark, Ellis, Dupree, McCormies, Smith, and Schultz.

Bautista was present, but not represented by counsel.

The State was represented by **D. Abbey**, Assistant Attorney General. **Carrie Smith**, Assistant Attorney General, provided independent counsel for the Board.

All Board members answered affirmatively that they had received and read the transcript of the hearing and the Administrative Law Judge's recommendation.

VOTE		<u>Dupree</u> Member	<u>Locnikar</u> Secretary	<u>McCormies</u> President	<u>Fountain</u> Vice-President	<u>Schultz</u> Member	<u>Smith</u> Member	<u>Ellis</u> Member	<u>Al-Hark</u> Member	<u>Hill-Mekoba</u> Member
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Carrie Smith advised the Board of the ALJ’s recommendation to place Bautista’s license on probation for 36 months, adopting the terms of probation as listed in Exhibit 15 (proposed consent agreement, paragraph 12), adding that Bautista may not work more than 96 hours in a two week pay period, exclusive of his various committee obligations. Smith read paragraph 12 of the proposed consent agreement, including the specifics of consecutive shifts.

Al-Hark mentioned schedule and hour restrictions noted in the proposed consent agreement. She then asked Bautista how many hours he typically worked in a pay period. Bautista explained the hours he works depends on the type of shift he works.

Carrie Smith provided procedural guidance. Based on the Board’s discussion, Smith recommended they vote to accept the ALJ’s recommended order to impose a 36-month probation and initiate the meet and confer process to discuss modifying the terms of the probation.

Al-Hark motioned, Ellis seconded, and after discussion it was unanimously carried, to accept the Administrative Law Judge’s recommendation to impose 36 months of probation, and initiate the meet and confer process to discuss modifications to the terms of probation.

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Board then discussed paragraph 12 of the proposed consent agreement, acceptable hours of work.

Al-Hark asked how many hours the nurse typically worked within the last 6 months. Bautista stated at least 100 hours a pay period, including committee work.

Smith asked Bautista if he could provide additional information on committee work. Bautista stated the three committees he was a part of. He confirmed 4 hours of committee work a month would be enough.

Al-Hark asked how the committee hours would be tracked.

Ellis asked if the committees had term limits and about whether he could alternate work with the co-chair. Bautista stated the committees have no term limits and he can work with co-chair and alternate the workload. Bautista added the work he does was not a stressor, and he enjoys his job.

Smith asked Board staff how specific the terms of probation need to be in regards to committee hours.

Carrie Smith clarified the 96 hours do not count committee hours, and would need to clarify if they wanted to limit the number of hours worked in committee.

McCormies asked Board staff to clarify how hours worked are tracked when a nurse is on probation.

Fotinos informed the Board that the supervisor reports hours worked. McCormies was concerned Bautista may be under multiple supervisors; Bautista confirmed it is just one.

Schultz thought the 96 hours could be tracked, but committee work could vary and doesn't need to be tracked or defined..

Mamaluy advised the Board they could specify the terms of probation to add 96 hours with no more than X number of hours of committee work per pay period.

Ellis stated she wanted the nurse to be able to work in committee freely without limitations on the hours since Bautista enjoyed the work and it got him involved in the community.

Dupree wanted to monitor the committee hours more. They discussed the number of hours to approve for work in committee. Al-Hark suggested they have the nurse report the amount of committee hours worked to gather data.

McCormies asked if everyone was okay with the 96 hours. Al-Hark asked about the schedule requirements for consecutive days worked and how that is affected by 96 hour total.

Carrie Smith provided guidance on phrasing the change to the terms of probation.

Schultz motioned, Smith seconded, and after discussion it was carried, to adopt the terms of probation as stated in the proposed consent agreement, with a modification to paragraph 12 in the proposed consent agreement (acceptable hours of work) as follows: Strike, "Within a 14-day period Respondent shall not work more than 84 scheduled hours. Respondent may work three 12-hour shifts in one seven day period and four 12-hour shifts in the other seven day period, but" and replace it with, "Respondent shall work no more than 96 hours in a two week pay period, exclusive of his various committee obligations."

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II.G. APRN/RN/LPN/LNA/UCNA Investigative Report/Potential Summary Suspension pursuant to A.R.S. § 41- 1092.11(B), and/or Consideration of Alternative Action

II.B.1. Dulce Cervantes-Sanchez RN157288 (Fotinos)
A.K.A: Dulce Carolina Foster

The proceeding began at 2:34pm with the following Board members present: Al-Hark, Ellis, Dupree, McCormies, Smith, and Schultz.

Cervantes-Sanchez was present but not represented by counsel.

Fotinos provided an update to the Board, that an updated IR was uploaded on Friday and a photo was uploaded today.

Cervantes-Sanchez addressed the Board, asking the Board to consider probation. She apologized for her actions and stated she is willing to do whatever the Board wants.

Ellis asked Board staff if other options were considered or recommended .

Mamaluy informed the Board that Board staff considered all other options but due to the egregiousness and duration of the conduct, staff did not feel there was another option that would protect the public, but noted that ultimately it's the Board's decision.

Ellis mentioned she wanted the discussion of Respondent's egregious conduct and consideration of other options on the record since the public does not review the same information the Board does.

McCormies added that the Respondent will have the ability to bring her case to a judge. She also showed concern about the time the nurse would have to work with the public if they offered a consent agreement.

Mamaluy added that in the updated IR, in addition to information already known, there were inconsistencies in Cervantes-Sanchez statements. There is concern about the ability to regulate Cervantes-Sanchez due to her dishonesty with the Board.

Fotinos clarified that Cervantes-Sanchez's newly divulged IV hydration company employer where Respondent worked as a 1099 employee had no records of Patient TL receiving services or making payments for any services through the company.

Al-Hark and Dupree highlighted their concern about Cervantes-Sanchez working outside of scope and her deceit.

Dupree motioned, Al-Hark seconded, and after discussion it was unanimously carried, based upon the information presented at this meeting and Finding of Fact and Statute/Rule violations identified in the updated Investigative Report, make a finding that public health, safety and welfare imperatively requires emergency action and issue the attached Order summarily suspending the license of Dulce Cervantes-Sanchez pending further hearing. The hearing shall be promptly instituted and determined.

VOTE		<u>Dupree</u> Member	<u>Lochnikar</u> Secretary	<u>McCormies</u> President	<u>Fountain</u> Vice-President	<u>Schultz</u> Member	<u>Smith</u> Member	<u>Ellis</u> Member	<u>Al-Hark</u> Member	<u>Hill-Mekoba</u> Member
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After the vote, McCormies stated, it was therefore ordered that the license of Dulce Cervantes-Sanchez, shall be suspended, effective upon the service of the written Order, and that Dulce Cervantes-Sanchez, shall immediately cease practice as a Registered nurse. This suspension shall remain in effect pending a public administrative hearing and final decision by the Arizona State Board of Nursing.

VIII. Call to the Public

A public body may make an open call to the public during a public meeting, subject to reasonable time, place and manner restrictions, to allow individuals to address the public body on any issue within the jurisdiction of the public body. The Board may ask staff to review a matter or may ask that a matter be put on a future agenda. Members of the public body shall not discuss or take legal action on matters raised during an open call to the public unless the matters are properly noticed for discussion and legal action. A.R.S. § 38-431.01(H).

No members of the public requested to speak

X. Adjournment

Dupree motioned, **Ellis** seconded, and it was unanimously carried, to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 2:51 p.m. Friday, Jul 8, 2024.